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Petersbourg, January 18.

THE military Preparations here are ſtill continued with great Vigour. By the Firſt of March there will be Fifty Thouſand effective Men ready to take the Field, and as many more by the Beginning of June.

Florence, Feb. 1, *N. S.* By Letters from Rome, received this Morning, there are Accounts, that Embarkations of Recruits, Ammunition and Stores, are continually ſeen to paſs by the Roman Coaſts for Genoa; Recruits are raiſing all over the Eccleſiaſtical State, and even in the City of Rome, and they are ſent to Civita Vecchia, to a Country Houſe of the Spaniſh Conſul, till a ſufficient Number is got together to be embarked. The Spaniſh Agents buy up all the Corn and other Grain they can get, in order to tranſport it likewiſe to Genoa. The Regency has received Notice, that the Republick of Genoa had given Orders to M. Papperini, the Emperor's Agent there, to leave their State in three Days, without telling the Motive of that Order; Notice thereof is ſent this Evening to Vienna. The Pope has ſent Signor Marco Fuſarelli to Naples, to ſettle, with the Miniſters of that Court, the neceſſary Quarters, &c. for the Corps of Neapolitan Troops which is to paſs through the Eccleſiaſtick State in its March to the Infant's Army in Lombardy. The Legate of Ferrara has informed the Pope, that ſome Imperial Troops have entred the Ferrareſe. The Spaniards have a large Magazine at Bologna, and have ſent ſeveral Pieces of Cannon to Parma, with an Intent, as they give out, to beſiege the Caſtles of Modena and Mirandola, in order to have a free Communication with the Eccleſiaſtick State. They are at preſent poſted at Guaſtalla and St. Benedetto, and are making Diſpoſitions to prevent the Imperial Army, expected from Germany, from paſſing the Po.

Berlin, Feb. 12, *N. S.* The latter End of this Month his Pruſſian Majeſty will go, as is ſaid, into Sileſia, and from thence, in the Month of May, into the Dutchy of Cleves. Yeſterday the Palatin Miniſter, Baron Bechers, ſet out for Dreſden: Upon his Return hither he will ſet out for Vienna. The Miniſter of Heſſe Caſſel, M. D'Aſſebours, returned Yeſterday to his own Court.

Antwerp, Feb. 17, *N. S.* By Letters from Bruſſels received this Day, we have Accounts, that the Town made a vigorous Defence, and that the Burghers behaved to Admiration. The Deſerters from the French Army report, that the Garriſon had made two Sallies with Succeſs, and that the Fire from the Beſieged did more Execution than that of the Beſiegers, who had not yet erected any Battery for Mortars; and that great Numbers of Sick were daily ſent from their Army to Ghent. The firſt Diviſion of the Auſtrian Troops joined the Prince of Waldeck's Corps Yeſterday.

Hague, Feb. 18. The Letters of Yeſterday from Antwerp bring no new Particulars of the Progreſs of the French before Bruſſels, and only ſay, that the Garriſon continued to make a gallant Defence. This Morning the States General regulated and ſettled the Command and Repartition of their Forces for the current Year. It is reported here, that Fitz James's and Ruth's Regiments had been embarked at Oſtend, and a French one at Dunkirk, for Scotland; but are all ſaid to be relanded again.

St. James's, February 14.

This Day the Right Honourable the Earl Granville reſign'd the Seals into his Majeſty's Hands, which his Majeſty was pleaſed to redeliver to his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, and to the Right Honourable the Earl of Harrington, his Majeſty's two Principal Secretaries of State.

Weſtminſter,

(Price Two pence.)

Weſtminſter, February 13.

His Majeſty came this Day to the Houſe of Peers, and being in his Royal Robes, ſeated on the Throne with the uſual Solemnity, Sir Charles Dalton, Gentleman-Uſher of the Black Rod, was ſent with a Meſſage from his Majeſty to the Houſe of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the Houſe of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, his Majeſty was pleaſed to give the Royal Aſſent to,

An Act for eſtabliſhing an Agreement with the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, for cancelling certain Exchequer Bills, upon the Terms therein mentioned; and for obliging them to advance the Sum of One Million upon the Credit of the Land Tax and Malt Duties granted to his Majeſty for the Service of the Year One thouſand ſeven hundred and forty ſix.

An Act for adjourning the Court of Seſſion in Scotland, and for remedying the Inconveniencies ariſing from the Surceaſe of Juſtice in that Part of the Kingdom.

An Act to enable his Majeſty to make Rules, Orders and Regulations, more effectually to prevent the ſpreading of the Diſtemper which now rages amongſt the horned Cattle in this Kingdom.

And to five private Bills.

The Circuits appointed for the Lent Aſſizes are as follow, *viz.*

Norfolk Circuit.
Lord Chief Juſtice *Lee.*
Mr. Juſtice *Burnett.*

Bucks, Monday March 3, at *Aylesbury.*
Bedford, Thurſday March 6, at *Bedford.*
Huntingdon, Saturday March 8, at *Huntingdon.*
Cambridge, Monday March 10, at the Caſtle of *Cambridge.*
Norfolk, Thurſday March 13, at *Thetford.*
Suffolk, Monday March 17, at *Bury St. Edmund's.*

Northern Circuit.
Lord Chief Juſtice *Willes.*
Mr. Juſtice *Abney.*

City of York, Monday March 10, at the Guildhall of the ſaid City.
Yorkſhire, The ſame Day, at the Caſtle of *York.*
Lancaſhire, Saturday March 22, at the Caſtle of *Lancaſter.*

Midland Circuit.
Lord Chief Baron *Parker.*
Mr. Baron *Clarke.*

Rutland, Friday March 7, at *Oakham.*
Lincoln, Monday March 10, at the Caſtle of *Lincoln.*
City of Lincoln, The ſame Day at the City of *Lincoln.*
Nottingham, Friday March 14, at *Nottingham.*
Town of Nottingham, Saturday March 15, at the Town of *Nottingham.*
Derby, Tueſday March 18, at *Derby.*
Leiceſter, Friday March 21, at the Caſtle of *Leiceſter.*
Borough of Leiceſter, Saturday March 22, at the Borough of *Leiceſter.*
City of Coventry, Tueſday March 25, at the City of *Coventry.*
Warwick, Wedneſday March 26, at *Warwick.*
Northampton, Saturday March 29, at *Northampton.*

Home Circuit.
Mr. Juſtice *Wright.*
Mr. Baron *Reynolds.*

Hertford, Wedneſday March 5, at the Town of *Hertford.*
Eſſex, Monday March 10, at *Chelmsford.*
Kent, Monday March 17, at *Rocheſter.*
Suſſex, Monday March 24, at *Eaſt Grinſted.*
Surry, Monday March 31, at *Kingſton upon Thames.*

Weſtern Circuit.
Mr. Juſtice *Deniſon.*
Mr. Juſtice *Foſter.*

Southampton, Tueſday March 4, at the Caſtle of *Winton.*
Wilts, Saturday March 8, at *New Sarum.*
Dorſet, Thurſday March 13, at *Dorcheſter.*
City and County of Exeter, Monday March 17, at the Guildhall of the ſame City.
Devon, The ſame Day, at the Caſtle of *Exeter.*
Cornwall, Tueſday March 25, at *Launceſton.*
Somerſet, Monday March 31, at the Caſtle of *Taunton.*

Oxford Circuit.
Mr. Baron *Clive.*
Mr. Serjeant *Birch.*

Berks, Monday March 3, at *Reading.*
Oxon, Wedneſday March 5, at *Oxford.*
Glouceſter, Saturday March 8, at *Glouceſter.*
City of Glouceſter, The ſame Day, at the City of *Glouceſter.*
Monmouth, Thurſday March 13, at *Monmouth.*
Hereford, Saturday March 15, at *Hereford.*
Salop, Thurſday March 20, at *Shrewsbury.*
Stafford, Tueſday March 25, at *Stafford.*
Worceſter, Saturday March 29, at *Worceſter.*
City of Worceſter, The ſame Day, at the City of *Worceſter.*

The Anniverſary Meeting of the Society for the Propagation of the Goſpel in Foreign Parts, will be held at the Veſtry Room belonging to the Church of St. Mary Le Bow, in Cheapſide, on Friday the 21ſt of this Inſtant February, at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon; upon which Occaſion there will be a Sermon preached by the Right Reverend the Lord Biſhop of Bangor.

Prayers will begin at Eleven of the Clock.

A Quarterly General Court of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, will be held at their Office in Dean's Yard in Weſtminſter, on Monday the 3d Day of March next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon.

February 14, 1745.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Truſtees for the River Lee, will be holden by Adjournment on Wedneſday the 5th Day of March next, at Six of the Clock in the Evening, at the Queen's Head Tavern in Holbourn, in the County of Middleſex.

B. Toller, *Clerk to the Truſtees.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majeſty's Ship Kennington, that were actually on board at the Time of her taking the St. Symphorion, in Company with the Newcaſtle, That they may receive their reſpective Shares of the ſaid Prize, on Wedneſday the 19th Inſtant, at the Three Tuns in Crutched Fryers; and ſuch Shares as are not then demanded, may be received on the firſt Wedneſday in every Month for three Years to come.

Advertiſements.

Propos'd to be publiſh'd by Subſcription.

A Medal by Mr. *Yeo*, repreſenting on one Side a Profile of his Royal Highneſs the Duke of *Cumberland*, and on the Reverſe, (emblematically by three Figures) Rebellion diſcomfited, and Britannia redreſs'd by Vertue.

Note, He has had the Honour to engrave, by his Royal Highneſs's Command, his Profile from the Life on a Seal: Which, with many other Opportunities ſince, induc'd him to this Attempt. He has ſpar'd no Pains to render it as compleat and as like as he could, how far he has ſucceeded, he ſubmits to the Deciſion of the Curious.

One Medal in Gold is two Guineas for the Faſhion, to be paid on Subſcribing, and the Value of the Gold on Delivery. One in Silver is one Guinea, half on Subſcribing, and half on Delivery. Subſcribers may depend on having the firſt Impreſſions. Such as deſire them in Copper, on ſending their Names, will have them ſtruck next after thoſe ſubſcrib'd for, at Half a Guinea each.

A Proof of the Head, and Deſign for the Reverſe, may be ſeen at his Lodgings at Mrs. Suteliff's, a Druggiſt near Craven Street in the Strand, London.

Notice will be given when finiſh'd.

WHEREAS Charles Whitaker, Gentleman, Steward to the Lord Biſhop of Durham, departed this Life in October, 1743, unmarried, and by his laſt Will and Teſtament in Writing did give and deviſe all his Freehold Eſtate, and a conſiderable Part of his Perſonal Eſtate, to his only Brother George Whitaker, then a Sailor, and whoſe Family was then ſettled on Neuſe River in North Carolina: And whereas the ſaid George Whitaker hath not been heard of ſince that Time, nor any of his Family, altho' ſeveral Letters have been directed to him and them at their Habitation upon the Neuſe River aforeſaid: This is therefore to give Notice, that the Preſence of the ſaid George Whitaker is abſolutely neceſſary in the City of Durham aforeſaid; and in Caſe he be dead, his Widow is hereby deſired to repair immediately to England with her Family, to enter upon what they are entitled to under the Will of the ſaid Charles Whitaker. N. B. If any Merchant in Virginia or North Carolina, or other Perſon whoſoever, will communicate this Advertiſement to George Whitaker and his Family, as ſoon as poſſibly may be done, it will be the greateſt Act of Friendſhip and Charity to the whole Family, there being others who have a Claim after them.

Wedneſday the 12th Day of February, in the Nineteenth Year of the Reign of his Majeſty King George the Second, 1745, between John White, Plaintiff, Jonathan Taylor the Elder, and others, Defendants.

UPON the Plaintiff's humble Petition this Day preferred unto the Right Honourable the Maſter of the Rolls, for the Reaſons therein, and in the Affidavit therein mentioned, contained, it is order'd, That the ſaid Defendant Jonathan Taylor do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the firſt Day of the next Term.

TO be Sold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Houſe in Curſitor's Street, Chancery Lane, The ſeveral Freehold Eſtates of Mr. John Cant, late of Grantham in the County of Lincoln, lying at Nether Broughton in the County of Leiceſter, at Spittlegate, Houghton, or Walton, and Grantham, in the County of Lincoln, and at Hickling in the County of Nottingham. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Houſe.

TO be Sold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Kinaſton, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, A Coppice or Parcel of Wood Land, with the Ground and Soil thereof, called Hawing or Hawing Coppice; and two Meſſuages or Cottages belonging to the ſaid Coppice or Parcel of Wood Land, with their Appurtenances, ſituate in the Pariſh of Checkendon, in the County of Oxford, late the Eſtate of Richard Blackall, Eſq; deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.

TO be peremptorily Sold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Kinaſton, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, on Wedneſday the 12th Day of March next, between the Hours of Four and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, The Manor of Charlcombe in the County of Somerſet, near the City of Bath, and the Meſſuages and Lands thereto belonging, late the Eſtate of William Sherſton, Eſq; deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn.

TO be Sold by Auction, on Monday the 10th of March next, between Two and Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Red Lion Inn in Northampton, Five Freehold and two Leaſehold Houſes in Northampton, late Mr. Joſhua Northiff Snowdin's: The Freehold of the yearly Value of about 60 l. the Leaſehold lett at 5 l. 15 s. per Ann. held of the Corporation of Northampton for about Fifty Years to come, at 20 s. a Year. For further Particulars enquire of Mr. Francis, in Caſtle Yard, Holborn, or of Mr. Binion in Northampton.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Nathaniel Roote, of Drayton, in the County of Northampton, Fellmonger, at the Time of his Diſcharge, purſuant to an Act of Parliament made the Tenth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, (intitled, An Act for Relief of Inſolvent Debtors) are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Richard Edwards, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Chancery Lane, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

NOtice is hereby given to all the Proprietors of the Shares in the Lands and Mines ſituate in Carnmoah, Nancothan, and Grambla, in the Pariſhes of Camborne, Redruth, and Gwennop, in the County of Cornwall, which were ſold by Sir William Pendarves to Meſſieurs Warren and Luke, that the Caſhier of the ſaid Lands and Mines is ready to pay the reſpective Dividends to all real Proprietors, and therefore they are expected to bring their Purchaſe Deeds to Mr. William Luke, at his Houſe in Caſtle-yard, Holbourn, London, or to Mr. John Richards, Caſhier of the ſaid Lands and Mines, at Truthall, near Helſton in Cornwall, on or before the 25th Day of March next, in order to their being intitled to the Reception of ſuch Dividends, for that no Perſon will be paid who cannot produce the Title Deeds for the Shares in the Premiſſes aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Edward Preſtridge, late of Camilford, in the County of Cornwall, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 3d of March next, by Three in the Afternoon, and on the 4th and 29th of March next, by Nine in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of William Marſhall, being a publick Inn ſituate in the Borough of Bodmyn in the County of Cornwall, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Williams, Attorney at Exeter, or Mr. John Hood, Attorney, on Lawrence Poultney Hill, London.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Catherine Forman and Henry Lang, late of Old Broad-ſtreet, London, Merchants and Copartners, intend to meet on Wedneſday the 19th of February Inſtant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, may come prepared to do the ſame.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Shaw, late of Stamford, in the County of Lincoln, Mercer and Draper, intend to meet on Friday the 7th Day of March next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Mr. Bryan Hodgſon, being the Sign of the George in St. Martin's Stamford Baron, in the County of Northampton, in order to make a ſecond and final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Setcole, of Weſt-Smithfield, London, Linnendraper, intend to meet on the 26th of March next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

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